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Publisher and Proprietor.

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

The public schools will re-open next Monday.

Thos. Flannery & Co., the New York Expressmen are giving away calendars for 1896.

The Township Committee will hold their first meeting of the new year next Monday night.

Thomas Blunt is having a new house built on Walnut Street.

The building No. 23 Broad Street, occupied by Chas. G. Clark as a grocery store, has been improved by a coat of paint.

Chas. Fischer has returned from Germany after a three months absence.

Bloomfield Lodge No. 40, F. & A. M., meets on the first and third Wednesdays, which is a change.

John N. Delhaen, the harness man, is presenting his friends with a neat calendar for 1896.

The Christmas offering at the Church of the Sacred Heart amounted to \$308.36.

Roy Halleck of Plainfield, is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gardner of Broad St.

Mrs. Arthur T. Allen has returned from Chicago, Ill.

Judge J. G. Post visited friends in Paterson on New Year's Day.

Miss Anna Beam of Cincinnati, Ohio, was the guest of Mrs. James L. Walsh, of Ridgewood Ave., during the week.

Wm. C. La Baugh has received the contract for the mason work on George A. Zabriskie's new house to be built on Linden Ave., Glen Ridge.

The death is announced at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, of Miss Helen Gray, formerly of Bloomfield, who died suddenly of yellow fever on Thursday, Dec. 26th.

Cards have been issued for the marriage of Peter Weissmann to Miss Ella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ott of Montauk County, N. J. The ceremony will be performed at the residence of the bride next Wednesday, Jan. 8th.

Seymour P. Gilbert has issued a neat calendar for 1896, containing a complete list of the fire-alarm boxes and time of the arrival and departure of the mails.

The Dramatic Club of the Young People's Society of the German Presbyterian Church will present the play "The Toy Makers of Wonderland" on Wednesday evening, Jan. 15th.

Fred and Charles Carter have sold their Orange Grove in California, and have returned East. They are the guests of their brother, William D. Carter, of Orchard Street.

The Postman, a neat eight page publication filled with much interesting and valuable information in regard to post offices and postal matters, was delivered by the letter carriers during the week.

On New Year's morning rather a novel event occurred in the shape of a pig race. A large porker, well greased, was liberated on Bloomfield Ave., and such a howling mob was in hot pursuit. Jack Conroy, after a fierce chase, succeeded in getting a firm grip on the pig's hind leg and was thereupon declared the owner.

David Oakes and Henry P. Dodd have returned from visit to the Cotton States Exposition at Atlanta, Ga. The fair closed Tuesday, Dec. 31st.

The three additional fire alarm boxes have been placed by Superintendent Olsen. Chief Engineer Oakes has designated the following numbers for the new boxes: Box No. 22, First Ward, corner of John Street and Montgomery Avenue; No. 44, Second Ward, corner of Franklin and Bay Avenues; No. 66, Third Ward, corner of Thomas Street and Washington Avenue. The boxes will be ready for use next week.

The annual reception and ball of the Comrade Socials was held at Fester's Hall on Tuesday night. There was a large attendance.

A dramatic performance under the auspices of Active Hope Co., No. 2, B. F. D., will be given at Union Hall, State St., on Wednesday, Jan. 22. The popular Irish Drama, "Shamrock and Rose," by the cast of the Young Men's Catholic Union, has been selected. The proceeds will go toward the purchase of new uniforms for the company.

Ernest and Edgar Bingham gave a party at their home No. 4 Monroe Place, on Tuesday night. A large number of young men were present.

The German Lutheran Church have changed their meeting place from Central Building to Herman's block on Glenwood Ave. The first meeting will be held in this place next Sunday afternoon.

The heavy winds early on Tuesday morning blew off about one-third of the tin roof of the building occupied by James Crisp & Co., belt manufacturers on Bloomfield Ave., and also destroyed five large lights of glass in the skylight on the roof. The rain did considerable damage to the stock of belts which were ready for shipment. The building is owned by Washington Cooper of New York.

Wm. S. Person Post No. 58, G. A. R., will go to Monclair to-night, on the 7:35 train, to attend the installation of officers of Wheeler Post No. 94, G. A. R., and participate in the camp fire.

Phil Kearny Council No. 33, N. P. U., has made up a trolley party to visit National Council No. 3, at Elizabeth, on Monday night. Car will leave Liberty street at 7 P. M.

The officers of Bloomfield Lodge No. 40, F. & A. M., were installed on Monday night by W. M. Bro. Chas. Belcher, Grand Master of Masons in the State of New Jersey. R. W. Bro. John H. Wilkins, D. G. M., 6th Masonic District, W. Bro. Austin McGregor, S. G. D. W. Bro. E. E. Smith, J. G. D., and other dignitaries were present.

Eureka Lodge No. 46, Knights of Pythias, held their annual meeting on Tuesday night, and elected these officers: Chancellor, Commander Chas. Harrington; vice-chancellor, Wm. R. Lawton; prelate, Saml. P. Brown; master of work, William Clarence; keeper of record seals, A. W. Brooks; master of finance, Fred S. Moore; master of exchequer, Joseph Reinheimer; master-at-arms, F. C. Bucher; trustee for eighteen months, Solomon Harris; representative to Grand Lodge, Geo. W. Way; alternate, Joseph Reinheimer. These officers will be installed next Tuesday night.

The annual meeting of Olive Branch Lodge No. 51, L. O. O. F., was held on Monday night, in Knights of Honor Hall. The following officers were elected: Noble Grand, Chas. S. Douglass; vice grand, Herbert C. Lockwood; recording secretary, W. C. Baird; financial secretary, Wm. Hoffman; treasurer, Chas. M. Lockwood; district deputy for one year, Frank Knapp.

Charles L. Warren, the well-known actor who sustains the part of General Hurleigh Burleigh in "A Milk White Flag," and Miss Blanche Palmer, an actress in the same company, were united in marriage by Justice Frank S. Wentworth at Philadelphia, Pa., on Wednesday, Dec. 18. The ceremony was witnessed only by immediate friends, and was known only to members of the company, who were playing at the Chestnut Street Opera House, in Philadelphia. Mr. Warren's name off the stage is Louis Vogelius. Miss Palmer is the youngest daughter of the late General Sully, of the United States Army and was born in Mexico. She is a pretty blonde, and a sister of Julia Palmer, the well-known actress. The marriage was a great surprise to the friends of both parties.

"Bloomfield," a valuable six year old stallion owned by R. N. Dodd, was accidentally killed on Monday. He broke his halter and ran out of the stable, and the employees succeeded in driving the animal back. At the end of the stable there is a stone wall and a sharp turn takes the horses up stairs. "Bloomfield" was coming in so fast that he was unable to make the turn and his head struck the wall with such a force that his neck was broken.

Third was recorded at the Court House in Newark, during the month of November, a record set by the County Park Commission, property on the mountain, amounting to \$29,300, from the following persons: Frederick H. Harris, 18 acres, \$15,000; David Willson, 12 acres, \$2,000; Amel B. Lloyd, Verona, 15 acres, \$9,900; Anna B. Lloyd, West Orange, 8 acres, \$4,000.

The Mizell Breeding of the Park M. E. Clark received a large number of callers in the church parlor on Wednesday. The guests were royally entertained. At night there was a stereopticon exhibition.

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